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In re Application of:)
Heume Il BAEK, et al.) Confirmation No.: 8785
Application No.: 10/608,187) Group Art Unit: 2673
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For: ALIGNMENT METHOD FOR)
FERROELECTRIC LIQUID CRYSTAL)
MATERIAL AND LIQUID CRYSTAL)
DEVICE USING THE SAME)

Commissioner for Patents
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Sir:

RESPONSE TO ELECTION OF SPECIES REQUIREMENT

In response to the election of specie requirement forwarded by the Office Action mailed February 2, 2006, Applicants hereby provisionally elect Species I, claims 1-3, 6, and 9-12, with traverse.

First, MPEP § 808.01(a) (Species) states in paragraph 1 that “there would be a serious burden on the examiner if restriction is not required.” Moreover, MPEP § 808.02 (Establishing Burden) states in paragraph 2, “the examiner . . . must explain why there would be a serious burden on the examiner if restriction is not required.” Applicants respectfully submit that the Species description the examiner provided does not comply with MPEP 808.02 which states